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TAGS: PORG, PK, UN

SUBJECT: USG DEMARCHE ON GOP KHMER VOTE

REF: ISLAMABAD 10218

1. ACTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY SOBER CALLED IN PAK AMBASSADOR YAQUB DECEMBER 13 TO DELIVER PROTEST PAKISTAN'S VOTES ON CAMBODIAN REPRESENTATION ISSUES AT UN.

2. AT OUTSET, SOBER NOTED THAT PURPOSE WAS TO REGISTER THE DEEP DISAPPOINTMENT WHICH THE SECRETARY AND THE USG FELT OVER PAKISTAN'S VOTES ON RECENT CAMBODIAN ISSUES OF GREAT IMPORTANCE TO USG. WE HAD MADE SPECIAL EFFORT TO EXPRESS OUR VIEWS ON THESE MATTERS, ESPECIALLY TO OUR FRIENDS, AND WE WERE CONVINCED THAT THE SUBSTANTIVE RES DELIBERATELY TRIED AVOID TAKING SIDES. SOBER SAID THAT PAKISTAN'S  
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NEIGHBORS IN ASIA WERE SEEKING IN SUBSTANTIVE RES TO EN-

COURAGE ACTIVE NEGOTIATIONS. WHILE SOME HAD TRIED TO MAKE HIM SEEM SO, SIHANOUK WAS NOT REALLY A NON-ALIGNED BLOC ISSUE. TO UNDERLINE USG CONCERN RE NEGATIVE VOTES OF PAKISTAN AND OTHERS, HE POINTED OUT THAT WE WERE NOT CALLING IN OBVIOUS PRO-SIHANOUK NATIONS--"JUST OUR FRIENDS" TO WHOM WE HAD STATED OUR CONCERN PRIOR TO THE VOTES.

3. SOBER ALSO NOTED POSSIBILITY THAT THERE WILL BE CHALLENGE OF KHMER CREDENTIALS IN CONTEXT CREDENTIALS COMM REPORT EARLY NEXT WEEK. SOBER SAID WE STRONGLY HOPE THE PAKS WILL VOTE AGAINST SUCH A CHALLENGE IF IT ARISES, SINCE WE BELIEVE REOPENING THE KHMER QUESTION WOULD BE A SERIOUS MISTAKE.

4. YAQUB NOTED IN REPLY THAT USG WAS AWARE OF PARTICULAR BACKGROUND FOR PAK VOTES, ESPECIALLY THE PRC'S "DIRECT INFLUENCE, QUITE APART FROM MERITS." HE PROMISED TO REPORT SOBER'S DEMARCHE IMMEDIATELY AND SAID "OUR PEOPLE WILL GIVE IT GREAT DEAL OF THOUGHT...IT WILL GET PRIME MINISTER'S PERSONAL ATTENTION."

5. MEETING TERMINATED WITH BRIEF EXCHANGE ON FEB 5 BHUTTO VISIT TO WASHINGTON. KISSINGER

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